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EUROPEAN DISPATCHES.

WORKING CLASSES OF GERMANY WIN A SIGNAL VICTORY.

Lord Dufferin Has no Intention of Resigning—French Tariff Hurting English Manufacturers—England to Retaliate—Chilian Insurgents in Europe, etc.

LONDON, May 21.—The working classes of Belgium have won a signal victory in compelling the central section of the chamber of representatives to declare in favor of a revision of the constitution. The great strike, started in the early part of the month, was unprecedented in its motive, which had nothing to do directly with wages or hours, but was intended as the only protest the disfranchised workingmen could make against the denial of the suffrage. The people's organ of the workingmen called on the minister to make a frank declaration regarding the revision of the constitution, which the workingmen believed to be destined to oblivion by delays. The strike spread throughout the four great basins of Belgium, and one after another various industries fell into line with the movement and trade and commerce were threatened with paralysis. The leading mine owners and metalurgists became alarmed. They explained to the King the immense injury already done and the greater injury threatened to Belgian industry by the delay in voting for a revision. The traders of Seraing petitioned the chambers in the same sense. The wildest rumors got afloat, and almost created a panic. It was said and even published that German troops would enter Belgium to re-establish order. This report aroused patriotic indignation, but did not put an end to the strife. Numerous arrests were made, with a view to coercing the strikers, but the men remained firm, and at length a majority of the chamber formally signified its willingness to support the proposed revision and aid in effecting a substantial reform. To-day the strike ended, and the workingmen are jubilant. Should there be any faltering on the part of the ministry, the workingmen stand ready to come out again at the call of their leaders.

THE SENAPUTTY'S FATE.

A Calcutta dispatch says the Marquis of Lansdowne, viceroy of India, has no intention of resigning, notwithstanding the dreadful features of the Manipur affair. The Senaputty, who has been captured, will be court-martialled as soon as possible and probably executed on the very spot where Quinton and his party were beheaded. It is intended to surround the execution with much solemnity, so as to make it a lesson to the Hill tribes. The proposition to blow the Senaputty from the mouth of a cannon as done at the time of the mutiny, is under consideration, but will probably be discarded in favor of hanging.

THE FRENCH TARIFF.

There is a strong feeling in British trade circles likely to be affected by the French tariff, in favor of retaliatory duties on French wines, etc. This would be a serious matter for France, the United Kingkom being the best customer for that country's exports. It is estimated that the new French tariff will diminish the British exports to France to the amount of about £7,000,000 annually, and British manufacturers do not know where to find a market for the goods thus barred from French markets. Prominent English manufacturers express the opinion that the French themselves will be the greater sufferers in the end.

THE CHILIAN INSURGENTS.

The agents in Europe of the Chilian insurgents are greatly distressed by the vigorous action of the American government against the Itata and are using every influence they can bring to bear to obtain a reversal of that policy and general recognition of the insurgents as belligerents.

Another Watch Swindler.

CHICAGO, May 21.—O. C. St. Clair, president of the Chicago Watch and Jewelery Company, has failed for $5000 and his creditors are whistling for their money. While St. Clair figures as the president of the company, it seems he is the sole proprietor. The company conducted a business on the same plan as a lottery called a watch club. Each member of the club made a contract to pay $1 a week until he drew a watch. But it was agreed by St. Clair that when a member had paid in $38 he was to get a timepiece. St. Clair had established agencies in different cities where clubs were run on the same plan as the one in Chicago. Monday afternoon Sheriff Jones closed up St. Clair's office on a judgment of $3014 in favor of Edward L. Upton. St. Clair had purchased goods to this amount from Giles Bros. and given his note. The note was sold to Mr. Upton. The sheriff found nothing to attach but a small amount of furniture and cheap jewelry, the value of which would not amount to $30.

The Ladder Broke.

DUBLIN, May 20.—During the progress of a fire on Westmoreland street this morning, two women were discovered imprisoned in the burning building. Ladders were promptly raised and a number of firemen ascended to the relief of the women whom they finally succeeded in extricating from their dangerous position. The women had been placed in safety upon the sidewalk when the ladder, down which several firemen were descending broke, and the unfortunate men were hurled to the ground a distance of 40 feet. Fireman Butte was picked up dead and Inspector Doherty is dying. Others were seriously wounded. Inspector Doherty and the wounded men were conveyed to the hospital, while the remains of fireman Butte was removed to the engine house.

Renewal of Triple Alliance.

LONDON, May 21.—It is understood that the great powers interested have agreed in principle to a prolongation of the triple alliance, and that the Italian prime minister, Marquis De Rudini, has obtained for Italy a diminution of the obligations which were to be imposed upon that country in the event of a French and German war. Austria also consents to admit Italy's claims in Tunis whenever equilibrium should have been arranged.

Causes of the Failure.

NEW YORK, May 21.—The Herald prints a long article purporting to give the circumstances which led to the failure and assignment of the insurance and brokerage firm of Sutterlee, Bostwick & Martin, of this city, which was announced yesterday. It is alleged that for nearly a year certain members of the firm have systematically mis appropriated funds placed in their hands for payment to various corporations. The amount involved in this neglect to pay premiums and losses which this firm has collected as agents has reached a total of nearly $150,000. But owing to the sacrifices of property owned by the elder members of the house this sum has been lessened considerably. There are, however, still outstanding a number of obligations incurred after the method which caused the ruin of the brokers, whose aggregate shows how exceedingly loose are conducted the transactions between insurance companies and the brokers. Messrs. Sutterlee, Bostwick & Martin made a specialty of railroad insurance. The value of the property which they annually distributed among the companies amounted to more than $100,000,000, and the commissions equalled from $80,000 to $90,000 a year. The Herald says the firm collected fire losses from the Liverpool, London & Globe, and the Greenwich companies and speculated with them. Charges are also made that the firm retained premiums on policies held by the Baltimore & Ohio Railway. A member of the firm says there is nothing irregular in the assignment. The firm, he says, simply had not enough cash on hand to continue business.

A Wife Murderer Exected.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., May 21.—James Kane was hanged this morning for the murder of his wife on March 23rd last. The drop fell at 8:19. Kane's neck was broken and he died hard. He met death without any sign of fear. The crime for which Kane was executed was apparently premeditated and unprovoked. Kane and his wife did not live on agreeable terms and were continually quarreling over trifles. On the day of the murder Mrs. Kane was helping her daughter-in-law to move. Kane entered the house and drew a long carving knife and plunged it into his wife's heart. When arrested he expressed satisfaction with the deed. He only wished he could have murdered his son also.

Body of a Missing Man Found.

CHICAGO, May 21.—The dead body of a man was picked up out of the lake this morning, and the description conforms also exactly to that of the missing H. J. Hanchett, who came here from California in charge of the Orange carnival.

OTTAWA NEWS.

Cameron's Bill to Repeal Franchise Act Defeated by 27.

Special to the TIMES.]

OTTAWA, May 21.—Mr. Mara introduced a bill for the incorporation of the Vancouver Graving Dock and Ship Building Company, which is to construct and operate a dry dock, ship building and repairing yard in Burrard Inlet and False Creek. Capital stock, $2,000,000.

Sir Hector Langevin replying to Mr. Tarte in the House, said there was paid Larkin, Connolly & Co. $580,841 from 1884 to 1890 for the Esquimalt dry dock.

The first division took place last night, on Mr. Cameron's bill to repeal the Franchise Act. The bill had been discussed for several hours, and at midnight the motion for the six months' hoist was carried by 112 yeas to 85 nays, a majority of 27 for the Government. Mr. Tarte voted with the Government and one of the Liberal members paired with Mr. Corbould, who is in British Columbia.

Mr. Gordon has given notice of motion that it would be in their interest to have the coasts of all the colonies declared contiguous territory, and that the whole be subject to uniform coasting regulations, limiting the coasting trade thereof to British and colonial vessels and vessels belonging to reciprocal nations.

There is a large delegation in the city to press the Government to refund to such municipalities that passed bonuses to railways the sum of $3200 per mile, which is the amount generally given as subsidy by the Dominion to railways. The municipalities represented by the reeves here maintain that since the Government has adopted this system of bonusing roads, they have a right, if not to the full amount of bonus, certainly to the $3200 mentioned.

The vote of last night in the Commons is an unprecedented one. Every Conservative in the Dominion who has been declared paired, or was paired, while there was only two absentees on the first vote, Langlier and Savaird, and three on the last, Savaird, German and Langlier, the latter two Liberals and the former Independent, but who is likely to vote Liberal. Langlier was not in the city but Savaird was. His reason for not voting, so he told his friends, was that his seat was contested, and he was trying to fix it with the Government. Once this is done, he will support Laurier. German arrived in the chamber late Tarte voted with the Government for the purpose of showing that in his attacks against Langevin and McGreevy he is not animated by political feeling. The Government's utmost strength may be put at 28 of a majority.

Justice Walkem, ex-Premier of British Columbia, accompanied by Mrs. Walkem, left this morning for the west. Mrs. Walkem's health is much improved.

At a meeting of the Dominion Artillery Association to-day, Lieut.-Col. Prior was elected one of the vice-presidents.

METHODIST CONFERENCE.

REV. J. F. BETTS ELECTED PRESIDENT BY 26 VOTES.

Rev. Coverdale Watson Could Not Accept the Chair—Rev. J. H. White, Secretary—Eloquent Address by Rev. A. Carman—Draft of Stations.

THURSDAY MORNING.

The Conference opened by singing the 360th hymn, after which the first hour and a half was spent in devotional exercises.

The General Superintendent, Rev. A. Carman, D.D., was called to the chair by Rev. C. Bryant, President of the Conference.

The bar of conference was fixed, after which the roll was called and the clerical and lay members of conference answered to their names; two ministers and seven laymen being absent.

The ballot for the annual conference officers was then taken, with the following results:

For President—First ballot, C. Watson, 21; T. W. Hall, 8; J. F. Betts, 12; T. Crosby, 1.

Second ballot—J. F. Betts, 18; C. Watson, 17; and 8 scattered ballots.

On the third ballot, Rev. C. Watson was elected; the vote being: Rev. C. Watson, 24; Rev. J. F. Betts, 18; 22 ballots necessary to elect.

On being called to the chair, Rev. C. Watson briefly addressed the conference, after which he handed to the general superintendent a communication, in which he tendered his resignation, stating that his reasons for doing so are purely of a personal nature, and chiefly on account of the heavy responsibility in connection with the building of the new church not permitting him to assume the burden of the presidency and thus prejudice the chances of his continued good health.

On motion, the conference learning the reason given by Rev. Mr. Watson, voted to accept the resignation.

The ballot was again taken with the following result: Rev. J. F. Betts, elected on a vote of 28, and was by the general superintendent called to the chair. He expressed himself grateful for the honor conferred on him in making him the successor of so worthy a predecessor.

The next ballot was for Conference secretary, and Rev. Jas. H. White was on the second ballot declared elected by 26 votes.

Rev. Mr. White also thanked the Conference for the honor imposed on him, and nominated C. M. Tate and S. Gough, assistant secretaries, and Rev. D. Jennings as journal secretary.

The elections being complete, Rev. A. Carman, general superintendent, addressed the conference, and committed to it the work of the day. He had not come to the conference without a feeling of responsibility nor prayer, that this conference might bring us into sympathy with each other and build up also an attachment to the polity of our beloved church. He thanked God that we can go anywhere and offer to every man a full, free present, and eternal salvation. Such salvation as this it seems to him is worthy of our God. He did not say this intending to disparage other Christian workers. He felt the deepest sympathy with all. He knew of no system calling itself Christian that has not enough of Christ in it to save the soul, if Christ is apprehended through that system. If a man can only get through the system to Christ, he shall be saved. But he looks upon our system as one—by the grace and omnipotence of the Holy Spirit, one of the quickest ways to the Cross. If the Methodist theology has any excellency, it is in that it presents the total and complete depravity of man on one hand and its clear exultation of the fullness and freeness of salvation provided in Christ on the other. He appreciated the help given to our denomination by other churches, and said that the influence of Methodism has done much for these others. Its indirect influence is about as great as its direct influence. He spoke of the great privileges of the Christian as understood by him and taught by the theology of our own church. He told the reasons why he felt the weight of this Conference. Among these was the fact that this glorious country had received a new impulse. It is an expanding country. He saw this everywhere. He called attention to the providential contemporary lives of John Wesley and James Watt. One the father of modern evangelism and the other of modern locomotion. While he does not know how it will come to pass but he considered this British Columbia Conference as the most responsible in our connection. With the C.P.R., a great national highway and we might even say an imperial enterprise, we are a gateway and we need only to think upon this to see how great is the opportunity in this Province to do good. If men would rejoice in the C.P.R. as a political enterprise, he would rejoice with them. He would be a Briton to the ends of the earth. If men would rejoice in the C.P.R. as a commercial enterprise, he would rejoice with them for his doctrine was "trade and get rich." But he looks upon all these great national and transcontinental lines and on the great ships that plow the sea as the means and help to the spread of the kingdom of Christ. He considered the opportunity afforded the gospel ministers of this land as great and glorious in the superlative sense. This country is now laying foundations for its future greatness. Its fisheries and agricultural districts and educational institutions are beginning to develop into greatness. The moral greatness of the country must not be neglected. Perhaps the Sabbath laws could be improved; the laws restraining the sale of liquor, and all these questions must be taken hold of with a Pauline spirit. We need to stand by the institutions of the country—develop them, and man them for the right. He had been a careful observer of things in British Columbia and said some complimentary things of the intelligence he had met out here. He would thank God for the enterprise of this country and believed that God is putting the lever into this enterprise. He would pray God to send population to this country, but not faster than they could be harvested for Christ. He wanted to see the electricity of Christian civilization touching the heathen corpses that meet us here, touch and galvanize these corpses into new life—Christian life, Godly life. He would like to see the church of British Columbia so full of life and zeal that he could go back to the East and tell the people that it is a good country to come to, to get under good influences as well as to make money. He wondered how our church is related to the educational institutions of the province, would doubtless hear more during the conference. He hoped we would weigh well the problem, we are not of those who hold control of the education from the cradle to the coffin, we believe the state should have its share in these things. In some ways the church has to adapt itself to the political and other proclivities of the country. We need great wisdom in these things so that we may be true to our views of the freedom of man and yet true to our church polity. We should have a stand to Sabbath law, and also to the sale of strong drink. He hoped that on all these questions, wisdom would be given to deal wisely and justly.

Before taking his seat he would venture to hope that this may be a spiritual conference. He would give glory to God for the good way in which we have been led. Spoke feelingly and eloquently on the divisions in Protestantism, and outlined a prospect by which these forces may be united and the world gloriously won for Christ. On resuming his seat, Dr. Carman was applauded with a burst of enthusiasm from his hearers.

With its new officers duly installed, the conference then went into routine work.

The hours of conference were then fixed at 9 a.m. to 12, and from 2 p.m. to 5.30.

The following laymen were reported members of the annual conference missionary committee: A. J. McLellan, William Clarkson, Dr. A. E. Bolton, and R. Pearson.

Of the Sabbath school committee the following are members: W. W. Baer, A. J. McLellan, D. Jennings, W. H. Burkholder, S. J. Thompson, A. C. Wells, J. W. Winslow, C. C. Fisher.

The Epworth League committee is composed as follows: J. H. White, D. Spencer, J. Calvert, J. W. Tuttle, J. Turner, W. J. Dowlar, Geo. F. Hopkins, G. Nicholas.

A memorial from the Westminster district recommends that a conference evangelist be appointed and set apart for evangelistic work. This memorial was received and laid on the table for future discussion.

The first draft of stations was laid on the table, and the hour of adjournment being reached, the conference was dismissed.

FIRST DRAFT OF STATIONS.

Victoria District—C. Watson, C. Ladner left without a station at his own request; Victoria North, J. H. White, W. Pollard, superannuated; Victoria South, Joseph Hall; Victoria West, Joseph Hall; Victoria, (Chinese) J. E. Gardner; Saanich, R. J. Irwin; Maple Bay, C. H. M. Sutherland; Salt Spring and other Islands, (W. H.); Nanaimo, W. W. Baer; Fanaimo, (Chinese) one wanted; Northfield, (T. E.A.); Wellington, A. E. Green; Comox, J. D. P. Knox; Cape Mudge and lumber camds, (—R.); Indian Tribes, One wanted.

Westminster District—New Westminster, E. Robson; S. J. Thompson; (S.W.F.); T. D. Pearson, superannuated; New Westminster (Chinese), (C.S.K.); Vancouver, Homer street, R. R. Maitland; Vancouver, Princess street, John F. Betts; Vancouver, Mount Pleasant, one to be sent; Vancouver (Chinese), (L.—Y.—P.—); Howe Sound, (A.P.); Richmond, J. A. Wood; Delta, (H.E.B.); Maple Ridge, C. Bryant; Surrey, J. W. Winslow; Langley, J. Calvert, (J.H.); Sumas and Chilliwack, J. P. Bowell; Cheam, (A.J.G.); Indian tribes, C. M. Tate, (one wanted).

Kamloops District—Kamloops, T. W. Hall; Nicola, G. H. Morden; Clinton, (E. V. S.); Salmon Arm, (J. H. M.); Revelstoke and Donald, (J. W. D.); Spallumcheen, J. H. Hicks; Similkameen, (T. P. W.); Kootenay, James Turner; Cariboo, to be supplied.

Simpson District—Port Simpson, T. Crosby; Naas, (N. —); Bella Bella, G. F. Hopkins; Port Essington, D. Jennings; Queen Charlottes Islands, A. N. Miller; Kitzeguela, W. H. Pierce; Upper Skeena, J. C. Spencer; Glad Tidings Mission, One to be sent; Kit-a-mat, (A. K. S.)

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Dio Lewis, 1886.
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McKinley bill passed House of Representatives, 1890.

Telegraphic Briefs.

Absolute peace is maintained throughout Portugal.

The financial situation in Portugal is growing worse.

Blaine was in bed all morning. He receives no visitors and transacts no business whatever.

The lumber yard of J. W. Day & Co., Minneapolis, containing 19,000,000 feet of lumber, was burned to-day; loss $228,000; heavily insured.

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METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Ministerial Session Closed---Epworth League Address by Rev. J. W. Betts.

WEDNESEAY AFTERNOON.

After devotional exercises the minutes of the morning session were read, amended and adopted, Dr. Carmen in the chair.

The list of names of men for whom the President asked permission to employ under the chair was continued, and the following names were added to the list already reported from the morning session: Alfred Pomfrat, Robert Royson, John Hicks and one other. In all these cases the permission asked for was granted.

The nominating committee submitted the following names as a "Committee on Conference relations": J. F. Betts, T. W. Hall, J. A. Wood, Jas. Turner, A. E. Green, J. P. Bowell, D. Jennings. The committee were appointed.

Rev. Thomas Rogers, of the Nova Scotia Conference, was then introduced, and briefly addressed it with kindly words and good wishes for the future for British Columbia Methodism.

The case of Rev. W. Pollard and Rev. H. D. Pierson, who were recommended by their respective districts to be continued in the superannuated relation, were referred to the committee on conference relations.

In view of the failure to hold the conference temperance meeting last night, the conference resolved to hold that meeting on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, and to ask Rev. Dr. Sutherland to give an address on Prohibition. The business being finished, the ministerial session then adjourned.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The first of the public evening meetings in connection with the Methodist Conference, now in session, in this city, was held in the Wesley Centennial Church last night. The subject of the address and the auspices under which the meeting was held was "The Epworth Leagues and Sabbath Schools of the Province."

The meeting was opened in the usual way, after which the speakers of the evening were introduced by the president of the Conference, Rev. C. Bryant. The members of the Victoria Leagues were present and sat in a section of the church presenting an inspiring attention to the speaker.

Rev. C. Bryant said to go back a long way he believed he could gratefully claim the credit of being one of the first Sunday school workers in British Columbia, and from that early day to this had been more or less connected with Sunday school work in this province. Now that this new branch of church work—the Epworth League—was organized he felt sure that it would increase the interest of the young people in our church work. He felt sure that the interest manifested by the young people of Victoria in this new movement is enough to guarantee its success in this city.

Rev. James Calvert was the first speaker of the evening.

He expressed a certain sense of pleasure in responding to the call made on him this evening as he was always a lover of Sabbath school workers and of Sunday school work. He had a large heart for Sunday school work and his first connection with the Methodist Church was through the work of the Sunday school. It is a gratifying thought to him to look back upon his early days thus influenced by these excellent means of grace.

He spoke of the influence of the Sunday schools on national life and would regret the day if it ever came when these schools would be obliterated. He perhaps could say little new on the subject but would take pleasure in reminding his hearers of some of their duties in this connection. With the growth of populace of the city and nation new responsibilities force themselves on Sunday school workers. The Sunday school connected with the really successful church is an important factor in the church's success.

Some of the most prominent ministers of to-day owe their power to the fact that they had a Sunday school training. The past life of these men when traced would bear record to their faithfulness in their attention to the lessons taught there.

The Sabbath school is a fine theological institution. The Sunday school teacher received the pure mind of the child and makes the first impression on it, and if he is sound in doctrine and principle he can make lines upon this tablet which neither time nor eternity can efface. He referred to the great importance attached to the first few years of training by the Romish Church and said that what holds good for Him is equally true with us. The impressions made upon the mind of Job in his chilhood were a menace to him in his old age and he confessed to God, "Thou writest bitter things against me. Thou makest me to possess the iniquities of my youth."

He was pleased to find that in connection with the Sabbath schools of British Columbia Methodism there are over 2000 children who are receiving at the hands of Methodism *impressions*. These children may be saved from infidelity and unbelief if the Sunday school teachers of the Methodist Church will be faithful to their trust.

The Sabbath school teacher of to day has a great advantage over the teacher of a few years ago. The helps placed at his hand will help him to right views of the word of God. He discussed the proper way of using some of these helps and referred to the misuse often made of these things and spoke of the methods of teaching which make for success or failure. Recounted some personal reminiscences in which he illustrated the value of the impressions made in childhood and closed by wishing that these remarks would be incentive to Sabbath school teachers.

Rev. J. W. Betts of Vancouver, was then introduced and asked to make the Epworth League address.

He confessed to finding his subject so broad and deep and far reaching that he scarcely knew how to deal best with it. However, he would say that he looks upon the formation of the Epworth League as marking an epoch in the progress of churches. The history of the past testified to the power and usefulness of such new movements. Moses and Job were both epoch makers. Each was original in the presentation of truth new and old. So was John the Baptist, but chief among these epoch makers was Christ Himself. So all along the ages we find the men who strike out on a line of their own. Not much longer than a century ago the

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in connection with their General Banking Business, and are now prepared to receive Deposits of $1 and upwards, upon which Interest will be allowed at current rates. Present rate, FOUR per cent. per annum. Deposits received for Fixed Periods, and interest allowed on terms which may be ascertained on application. The Shareholders of this Bank are by the Charter of Incorporation made liable for double the amount of capital subscribed for, an important consideration in the security afforded to depositors.

WM. C. WARD, Manager.

Victoria, 2nd January, 1891.

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Asst. Gen. Fgt. and Pass. Agent,
Vancouver mh10

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO. 14.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Saturday, May 9th, 1891.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

STATIONS.	Going North (Read Down): Miles from Victoria.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	Going South (Read Up): No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Wellington.
VICTORIA		De. 8:00 A M	De. 3:30 P M	Ar. 12:24 P M	Ar. 6:58 P M	78
RUSSELL'S	1	" 8:04	3:34	" 12:20	" 6:54	77
ESQUIMALT	4	" 8:14	3:44	" 12:10	" 6:44	74
GOLDSTREAM	11	" 8:39	4:09	" 11:45 A M	" 6:19	67
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	28	" 9:31	5:04	" 10:50	" 5:24	50
COBBLE HILL		" 9:44	5:14	" 10:40	" 5:14	47
McPHERSON'S		" 9:57	5:29	" 10:27	" 4:59	43
KOKSILAH	3[illegible]	" 10:07	" 5:39	" 10:17	" 4:49	40
DUNCAN'S	40	" 10:12	" 5:44	" 10:12	" 4:44	38
SOMENOS	43	" 10:22	" 5:54	" 10:02	" 4:34	35
CHEMAINUS	52	" 10:48	" 6:16	" 9:36	" 4:12	26
NANAIMO	73	Ar. 11:20		De. 8:34		
NANAIMO		De. 11:50	" :14	Ar. 8:29	" 3:14	5
WELLINGTON	78	Ar. 12:14 P M	Ar. 7:29	De. 8:10	De. 2:59	

ON SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS AND MONDAYS

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return not later than Monday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for three days, including day of issue.

No Return Tickets issued for a single fare, where such fare is twenty-five cents.

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Headquarters Building, Tacoma, Wash.

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FOR THE NORTH

The Steamer

BARBARA BOSCOWITZ

—WILL SAIL ON—

Thursday Evening, May 21st

AT 7 P. M.

From Porter's Wharf for Fort Simpson and way ports.

For freight or passage apply to

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THE OCEANIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY

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For Honolulu, Auckland and Sydney, Without Change.

The Splendid New 3,000 ton Iron Steamer

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STEAMER

ISABEL

J. E. BUTLER, Master.

On and after November 19th, '89,

Until further notice,

The Steamer ISABEL will sail as follows:

CALLING AT WAY PORTS:

Leave Victoria for Nanaimo..........Tuesday, 5 a.m
" Nanaimo for Comox..........Wednesday, 7 a.m
" Comox for Nanaimo..........Friday, 7 a.m
" Nanaimo for Victoria..........Saturday, 7 a.m

For freight or passage apply on board. oc17

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO.,

(LIMITED.)

TIME TABLE No. 13,

Taking effect July 17, 1890.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 14:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Chilliwhack and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Pt. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports on or about April 7th.

Bute Inlet Route.

Steamer Rainbow leaves every Tuesday at 7 a. m., for Cowichan, New Westminster, Burrard Inlet, Bute Inlet and way ports.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

Steamers leave on Standard Time.

G. A. CARLETON, General Agent. JOHN IRVING, Manager.

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Steamer

MAUDE

CAPT. ROBERTS.

WILL LEAVE SPRATT'S WHARF

—FOR—

Alberni & Barclay Sound Ports

ON

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27th, AT 6 P.M.

For freight or passage apply at office of the Company, Wharf street.

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The fine iron steamship

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$500 Reward.

George Vienna will pay the above reward to any person (the writer or any one else) who will give information that will lead to the conviction of the party responsible for sending the following letter:—

"Dear Sir George—Some of your friends will burn your boat, and they are going to burn your house, too, because you got that Constanti in your boat and your house. Please I want to make that man move from your house, because he is a——— and ——— too. Your friends will certainly do that."

Information may be given to Sergt. Walker or to the undersigned.

GEO. VIENNA.

May 12-tf.

HOME-MADE BREAD,

AND VIENNA BREAD. The IXL Bakery, at corner of Pandora and Douglas streets, and also corner of Pembroke and Douglas streets, is making a specialty of the above kinds of bread, which were so highly recommended at the Centennial Exhibition, Philadelphia. Orders for cakes and pastry filled on shortest notice. Free delivery to any part of the city. m14-1m WILLIAM EARL.

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm

Victoria, Dec. 11, 1890. dec12

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SPRING NECKTIES, NEW BOYS' SUITS, REGATTA SHIRTS, FINE UNDERWEAR.

CHRISTY'S SILK HATS.

METHODIST CONFERENCE.

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missionary enterprise was new, and yet all this is developing and the whole church is now permeated with the idea that the world is to be won for Christ. The Epworth League movement he apprehends is the dawn of a new movement in the church work. He intimated that new movements do not develop in all directions with like rapidity—they travel first one way and then another and so with the rising tide of Christianity. It takes possession of all those places which are fitted to receive it. The Epworth League movement takes a different direction from missionary effort. Its field or purpose is in the development of personal and pious Christian life. There are some things the Sunday school does not do. Young people are apt to grow out of it and consider themselves too old to continue in its pale. The church work and methods of the past were not quite able to cope with the difficulty.

The Epworth League is designed to lay its hand upon just such young people, interest them in the work which they are tempted to drift away from.

He wished to speak of some of the difficulties encountered by the workers in this branch of Christian effort. No undertakings on which the church has entered have been free from difficulties. One of these difficulties is "The indifference of our young people to self-improvement." The young people find it difficult in this age of steam and electricity to constrain themselves to study the church history and doctrine, etc., which are necessary to the development of strong pious manhood. The enjoyments of the world everywhere are bidding for the time and attention of the young people.

The second difficulty is "The circulation of a class of questionable and degrading literature." Even the best and most respectable booksellers place this class of literature to the front and from whatever reason, the speaker deprecated the influence it must have on the young reader.

Another difficulty found in some leagues is "A difficulty in securing proper persons to take charge of the various departments of the League work." He hoped that in a few years this difficulty would be overcome. The League is as yet primative and the future promises well in this respect. He exhorted those interested in this work to apply themselves to overcome these difficulties. He would make some suggestions as to how this might be done. Two departments of the work must be employed, viz., the religious work department and the literary work department. He need not dwell upon these but would say there is one thing may be depended upon—our young people cannot too soon or early be trained in these two schools. He discussed some of the methods by which this work might be made interesting and profitable to all concerned. He lamented the fact that all through his broad connection of ours there is a scarcity of young men who present themselves for the work of the local ministry and he believed that if the Epworth League is properly worked this difficulty would be overcome and the ranks of ministers shall be filled with our choicest young men. The most efficient ministry our church can have must come from young men who have had active christian work. The world to-day is calculated to stimulate activity of thought and it will not do for the church to get behind the times. Enthusiasm is a good thing but it must be backed by intelligence. He advocated in connection with every league the formation of a reading circle and strongly urged that it devote itself to the developing of our young people in the biographies of the early christian workers—successful preachers—and the founders of our own honored Methodism.

With some suggestions as to the leadership of leagues the Rev. speaker concluded his remarks.

A numerous and attentive audience was present and a thorough interest was sustained throughout the whole meeting.

Later proceedings will be found on page 1.

MONEY MIS-SPENT.

To the Editor:—Can you inform our readers what all this twaddle amounts to concerning the vote of the city council to furnish music on Sunday. Is it not well known that nearly every christian church has music on Sunday and pays for it? Is it not also well known that a large number of rate-payers object on principle to the Sunday newspaper, yet the Robson Government is constantly paying out the rate-payers money for advertisements in the Sunday newspaper. Surely there need not be so much printer's ink wasted over what certainly does not amount to a violation of principle. Let "Florence," "Prudence," etc., direct their efforts to stop the payment of the rate-payers money where a principle is involved as in the Sunday newspaper.

WATCHMAN.

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Wall Papers and Borders, latest designs, also Lincrusta, Walton and Lignur, at Weller Bros., 51 to 55 Fort st.

Three-ply ingrain carpet at Hastie & Skene's, 62 Government street.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

Of One Opinion—Victoria Recognizes True Merit.

During the visit of Professor Seward, the celebrated optician of New York, last fall, a large number of prominent ladies and gentlemen, not only of Victoria, but surrounding cities, called and had glasses adjusted to their eyesight, and now since Professor Seward's return, he finds, as he expected, the universal expression to be, "His work is the best that has ever been accomplished in Victoria." Professor Seward has been especially successful in correcting the most difficult of defective sight, also of adjusting cataract glasses and fitting artificial eyes. His stay in Victoria can only be of short duration, as he has promised on this trip to stop at Nanaimo, Vancouver and New Westminster, and at Seattle and Tacoma on the Sound, which he could not do on the last trip on account of limited time. This will be the last trip to the Pacific coast. A record of the examination and test of each patron is kept on file, and the glasses can be duplicated at any future time by addressing Prof. F. D. Seward, P.O. box 3567, New York. Office hours while in Victoria, 9 a.m to 5 p.m. Cor. Yates and Douglas streets, over drug store.

N.B.—Prof. Seward makes no charge for preliminary examination.

A Canadian Case.

The case of Mrs. E. A. Storey, of Shetland, Ont., is remarkable proof of the efficacy of Burdock Blood Bitters in headache. She writes: "For over 40 years I was a martyr to headache, having severe attacks about once a week. Have now used three bottles of B.B.B. and have had no attack for four or five months."

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20-YEAR ENDOWMENTS.

AGE.	A return in cash of all premiums with interest at the rate of
35	6 7/8 %
45	6 3/4 %
55	8 %

LIFE RATE.

Tontine period terminating at the end of 20 years.

AGE.	A return in cash of all premiums with interest at the rate of
35	2 3/4 %
45	3 1/2 %
55	5 1/2 %

The return on other kinds of policies is in proportion, depending upon the kind of policy and the premiums paid.

There is no assurance extant in any company which compares with this. The Equitable is the strongest company in the World and transacts the largest business.

Assets, - - - - $125,000,000
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J. H. BROWNLEE,
District Manager
42 Fort street, Victoria, B.C.

THOMAS HOWELL,
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A GOOD CHANCE.

The agents of the well known Matsqui Prairie Lands, H. E. Croasdaile & Co., 42 Fort St., offer to refund the expenses of any visitor to MISSION CITY on the 19th inst. who invests in the farm lands represented by them. These lands are the most fertile on the Fraser river.

To all those looking for a good home a call at H. E. Croasdaile & Co.'s office before the 19th inst., for maps and further particulars, will amply repay them.

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Rock, Dimension or Rubble.

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TENDERS

WILL BE RECEIVED BY S. SANDOVER, President of the N. & S. Saanich Agricultural Society, up to 12 o'clock noon on the 13th June, for the Northwest quarter of Section IV South Range II East, South Saanich, containing twenty-five acres, more or less. Terms cash. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. By order,

HENRY BRETHOUR,
Secretary.

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TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned until noon on Friday, May 29, for grading and graveling road to TOP OF MOUNT TOLMIE.

Sections 36, 37 and 38, Victoria District. Profiles by John Keen, C.E., on view on and after May 23.

The lowest tender not necessarily accepted.

J. H. BROWNLEE,
42 Fort street.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 5 p.m. Thursday, May 28th for the erection and completion of a residence on Superior street.

Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained at the office of the undersigned.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HOOPER & GODDARD,
Architects.

Office over Spencer's Arcade. my19-4t

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL 5 p.m. Wednesday, May 27th, for the erection and completion of a three story brick building on Yates street for Lewis Lewis, Esq.

Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HOOPER & GODDARD, Arch'ts.

Victoria, May 16, 1891. Office over Spencer's Arcade. m16-tf

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 5 p.m. Tuesday, May 26, for the erection and completion of a three-story brick building and basement on the corner of Government and Johnson streets.

Plans and specifications may be seen and information obtained at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HOOPER & GODDARD,
Architects.

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NOTICE.

TO CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS.

We are now prepared to supply all kinds of Rough and Dressed Lumber, Laths, Shingles, best New Wellington Coal, etc., at shortest notice, from the Rock Bay Coal, Wood and Lumber Yard.

Office and yard, North end of Rock Bay Bridge.

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Good quality and measurement guaranteed.

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WHITE ROCK, B. C.

This Townsite is situated on Semiahmoo Bay, and is the only deep water seaport between the International Bounday Line and Vancouver, B.C. It will probably be the Mainland starting-point of the Victoria, Saanich & New Westminster Railway. It is now the outlet for the finest agricultural district in British Columbia.

The C.P.R. has made a survey of a line from Vancouver direct to this point. The Royal City Planing Mills Company has built a substantial wharf here, and has established a lumber yard, which supplies the farmers of this district. A handsome Hotel has been erected and building is going on rapidly. Several influential and far-sighted orporations have acquired large tracts of land surrounding this Townsite.

ONLY 14 WATER FRONT LOTS LEFT.

Bargains in Victoria Property

Two Lots, Fernwood Road, with 4-roomed house, kitchen, pantry, etc.	Price,		1800
Two Lots, Belcher Avenue,	each	"	750
One Lot, with 6-roomed house, bathroom, pantry, etc., corner Yates street and Fernwood Road,		"	3500
Three Lots, Esquimalt Road,	For the three	"	2500
One Lot, Victoria Crescent,		"	900
Eight acres on Gordon Head Road, slashed	$200 per acre.		Cheap
Three and one-half acres, Cadboro Bay Road, cleared and fenced,			4200
Ten acres, Cordova Bay,	Per acre,		100
Seventy acres, East Saanich Road, 8 miles from town.	Good Land.	" "	40

Parties having houses to Rent, will do well to list them with us, as we have enquiries daily for houses, with rental from $15 to $30 per month

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31 Government Street.

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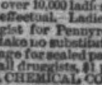
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THE CRY OF MILLIONS

OH, MY BACK!

STOP IT NOW,

SOON IT WILL BE TOO LATE.

I have been troubled many years with disease of the kidneys and have tried many different remedies and have sought aid from different physicians without relief. About the 15th of April I was suffering from a very violent attack that almost prostrated me in such a manner that I was bent over. When I sat down it was almost impossible for me to get up alone, or to put on my clothes, when kind Providence sent Dr. Henley, with the OREGON KIDNEY TEA, to my hotel. I immediately commenced using the tea. It had an almost miraculous effect, and to the astonishment of all the guests at the hotel, in a few days, I am happy to state, that I was a new man. I will recommend the tea to all afflicted as I have been.

G. A. TOWER,
Proprietor Occidental Hotel,
Santa Rosa, Cal.

D. E. CAMPBELL, AGENT,
NO. 86 FORT TREET. ap9-1y

NOTICE

WILL ALL THE PROPERTY OWNERS on the Cadboro Bay Road (outside the Willows) oblige by sending me their addresses,

C. T. W. PIPER,
P.O. box 703.

IMPORTANT.

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NOTICE.

Estate of J. R. Hett, late of the City of Victoria, Barrister-at-Law.

Creditors are requested to send in their claims, and debtors to pay their accounts forthwith to the undersigned. Any persons in possession of deeds, papers or books belonging to the estate of the deceased are desired to hand the same to me.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Executor.

90 Bastion street, Victoria. ap21-1m

REMOVAL.

I BEG TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC THAT I have removed the business carried on by me under the name or style of Ham Yick, from 120 Government street, to the premises lately occupied by Jung Joe Tungpull, and known as No. 13 Cormorant street.

In addition to supplying Chinese groceries I will continue to conduct a general merchant tailoring business, where clothes in the European style will be manufactured.

LEUNG TAK SHAN.

Victoria, B.C., May 1st, 1891. my1-1m

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JOHNSON, WALKER & FLETT,
my19-1m 48 Langley street.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned as merchant tailors, at 62 Douglas street, Victoria, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on by John McCallum, who will assume all liabilities of the firm, and to whom all debts are payable.
JOHN McCALLUM.
CHARLES H. WOODS.
Victoria, May 15, 1891. my15tf

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

MR. H. M. TIFFIN HAS BEEN ADMITTED into partnership in the business of general merchandise carried on by Gustav Hauck at Ladner's Landing. In future the firm name of the business will be
HAUCK & TIFFIN.
Ladner's Landing, April 28, 1891. ap29-1m

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Richard Hall and William John Goepel, trading under the firm name of "Hall, Goepel & Co.," has this day been dissolved, as from the 30th April last, by mutual consent. Mr. Goepel retires from the firm. Mr. Hall will carry on the business and will settle all liabilities, and to whom all outstanding accounts are to be paid. The name of the firm will remain unchanged.
RICHARD HALL.
W. J. GOEPEL.
Witness—John Hall.
Victoria, B.C., May 4, 1891. my4-1m

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between W. R. Munger and James Munger, carried on at the corner of Yates and Broad streets, as a saloon business, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on as the Mirror Saloon by James Munger. W. R. MUNGER.
JAMES MUNGER.
May 12 10t.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INtend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquors, at the corner of Yates and Broad streets, No. 99, to James Munger.
JOHN H. GANNON.
Dated Victoria, May 1, 1891. may1-1m

NOTICE.

AT THE NEXT SITTING OF THE BOARD of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, I intend to appiy for a transfer to Tolmie & Stewart, of the license held by me to sell wines and liquors on the premises Nos. 45 and 47 Yates street. ANDREW TULMIE.
May 6, 1891. m6-30t

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned intends to appiy to the Licensing Board at its next sitting for a transfer of the liquor license of the Occidental Hotel from Wm. Jensen to Berryman & Andrews.
Victoria, May 9, 1891. WM. JENSEN.
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TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the city of Victoria, at its next regular sitting, for a restaurant license, to sell by retail, wines and beer, at the building now being erected by the B. C. Land & Investment Agency, on Broad street, in the city of Victoria, and to be known as "The Balmoral Restaurant."
F. W. GARLAND.
Dated 10th day of May, 1891.

TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the city of Victoria, at its next regular sitting, for a license to sell by retail, wines, spirits, beer and other fermented liquors at the building now being erected by me on Lots 11 and 12, section 29, Beckley Farm, situate on Dallas road, in the city of Victoria, and to be known as "Hotel Dallas."
WM. JENSEN.
Dated this 5th day of May, 1891. my6

TAKE NOTICE THAT I THE UNDERsigned intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the city of Victoria at its next regular sitting, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by me for the premises situate on the corner of Yates and Douglas streets in the city of Victoria, and now known as the Standard Theatre, to John Cort.
Dated at Victoria this 4th day of May, 1891.
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Qualifications for Provincial Voters: British subject by birth or naturalization, 21 years of age, one years residence in British Columbia, last two months being in the district where registration takes place.

THE FRANCHISE INIQUITY.

Mr. CHARLTON introduced a bill into the House to amend the Franchise Act. The amendment provides that in case the electoral lists were not revised within twelve months of a general or a bye election, the provincial lists shall be used, provided the provincial lists are more recent. The object of the amendment is to prevent incomplete lists, as was the case with the Dominion election of last March. There is little likelihood, of this amendment becoming law. The Cameron bill, which proposed sweeping away the entire iniquity, the Dominion Franchise Act, has been defeated by a strict party vote. It is not at all likely that with this precedent before us the Tory element will subscribe to a measure which will deprive them, even in part, of an enormous political leverage.

THE SEAMY SIDE OF AUSTRALIA.

The federation of the Australian Colonies in which they have declared themselves independent in all but name, has attracted considerable attention, inasmuch as political progression usually is expressive of rapid material expansion. Indeed, had Australia sought to advertise herself as the coming nation, she could not have adopted a method more effectual than in the consolidation of her political interests. Commerce, agriculture, all kinds of material development are so closely identified with politics these days, that a movement in one is sure to cause inquiry as to the other, and if the political movement be a positive step in advance the inevitable inference is that, industrially, the country affected is everything that could be desired. Thus the impression is abroad that Australia is a veritable "land of promise." And unquestionably Australia has much to recommend it. Australia, however, has her "seamy side" as the Hon. J. W. FORTESCUE in the Nineteenth Century puts it. "The Colonies, he says, are heavily in debt," with a tendency to still further increase of liabilities. In other words the debt is growing faster than the population or the revenue. Indeed, unless a halt is called shortly, liabilities will so far exceed resources that a crash is inevitable. In 1881 the debt of the Colonies was as follows:

	Debt 1881.	Debt 1888
Victoria	£22,426,000	£34,627,000
N. S. Wales	18,924,000	44,340,000
Queensland	13,245,000	25,841,000
South Australia	11,196,000	19,147,000

This money is said to be safe, because it has been spent on "reproductive works"—railways. Turning to railway receipts, however, it is discovered that they have not paid interest on their capital cost. Of the causes which have reduced Australia to this plight the writer enumerates those of political "log rolling" and "socialism." The laboring classes seem to have the upper hand. Quoting an English emissary to the Emigration Aid Society, he says:

"Colonial working men have been so largely employed by Government upon public works that their habit is to demand such work directly other congenial employment is slack, and to insist upon having it in one of the great cities where they prefer to live, even when employers up the country are looking in vain for men. . . . We saw the unemployed in Sydney marching about by hundreds, apparently well fed and well-clothed, demanding of the Government 6s. a day without piecework, because to offer less would be, as they termed it, a degradation of labor in New South Wales, and many of them declining it because, when provided, it was a few miles up "the country."

This brings him to the discussion of the Chinese question, pointing out that it is to be accepted as a physiological axiom, that the Anglo Saxon race does not thrive and cannot, at any rate, without physical deterioration, work within the torrid zone, he assumes that the exclusion of the Chinese is a mistake.

"I wish," says he, quoting from a private letter, "that the Government would put a poll-tax on Europeans of £50 a head, and keep them out of the place. A good many have come lately, and have never attempted to try the reefs and alluvial fields, but hang about the township and the Government office week after week, growling at the Chinese who are our best colonists. Europeans are no earthly use here; they cannot do a day's work in the sun, and the majority that come are simply loafers. Sixty-six came by one ship the other day, and the same day waited on the Government resident for relief.

Summing up the writer concludes, that if the worst should come the British investor would be entitled to little sympathy. "We are, in fact," he continues, "by our fatuous policy of confidence and concession, greatly to blame for the present condition of Australia. That policy should be reversed. If it cannot be reversed, let it be pushed a little further, and let England, when next Australia raises an unreasonable clamor, meet the threat of 'cutting the painter' with a quiet assent, and intimate that, as an essential preliminary, an expert financier, with a staff of skilled assistants, will start at once to report on the financial condition of the colonies on behalf of the colonial bondholders.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The tug Pilot, despite her ill luck in American waters, so-called, continues to persevere in "poaching" on the preserves of the Puget Sound Tug Boat Association. She towed the British ship Favonious to sea the other day from Tacoma, and Port Townsend is "wild" over it. Says the Leader: "Competition would be welcome, but it is American competition we want, not the English brand with headquarters at Victoria." In the circumstances it would seem that the "English brand" of competition is better than no competition at all. Those who acquire power only to abuse it forfeit sympathy. The English brand of tug boat competition, like the C.P.R. brand, is a perfect godsend to shipmasters and American shippers. Port Townsend "wants the earth."

Of course we can't expect the Colonist to get up and execute a war dance on the cold political corpses of Messrs. PRIOR and EARLE, but we should like to hear from it an expression of opinion as to which it prefers, $30,000 worth of drilling or $6000 worth of dredging. This is a very simple question. Will the Colonist answer it? And what is the matter with Wharf street? Not a word from that quarter. Dumb! my lords and gentlemen, dumb! Where is "Old Subscriber," "Justice," "Veritas," "A Life Long Conservative," and the rest? Dumb! dumb as oysters. Does silence speak consent? Do they prefer drilling to dredging? Are they ready along with the Colonel to cry havoc! and let slip the dogs of war? Let Vancouver pursue the quiet arts of peace. In her deep sordidness let her contemplation alternate between a $40,000 postoffice and the deep scoops of the Mud Lark. Victoria has good anchorage ground, Vancouver has not. Let Vancouver keep the Mud Lark.

Let the gulled fool the toils of peace pursue,
Where bleed the many to enrich the few.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

THE RING.

BOTH IN SUPERB CONDITION.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Jackson and Corbett were both under inspection to-day, and the inspectors were men who knew something about fighting themselves. Jim Hall, the strapping Australian who is matched against Fitzsimmons, was one, and Billy Woods, the heavyweight from Denver, was the other. Parson Davies also took some observations, and Bat Masterson kept close to his friend Davies. During the afternoon the party went to Sausilito and found Corbett, who appeared to be taking a more earnest view of things than he was ever known to take before. He expressed himself so confidently, and was in such good form that immediately after leaving him Parson Davies was moved to remark: "Corbett is in magnificent shape. He is just hard enough and not too hard; his skin looks well and he moves easily. I expect to see a royal battle."

"I like the way Corbett stands," said Hall. "He steps like a man who knows how to move. There is everything in that."

"Then he has good muscle on his back," broke in Woods, "and it is as firm as a rock."

From Sausilito the party took the ferryboat for San Francisco and afterwards went to Oakland and drove to Jackson's training quarters. Jackson was taking his afternoon rest on the porch. As soon as he saw the parson and his friends he was all smiles. The big fellow shook hands cordially with Hall and Wood, and then had a long confidential talk with Davies. Bystanders noticed that Hall was much like the negro in build. Jackson is a trifle the taller, but when the two stood together the difference was found to be less than an inch. Both Wood and Hall pronounced Jackson's condition splendid. Davies was asked: "Which man will win?" "I have not made a single bet," responded the Chicago sport, "and I can only say both men are in fine condition, and that the fight is sure to be a good one."

INTEREST GROWING IN THE CONTEST.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—The most interesting feature of the coming Jackson-Corbett contest at the present is the betting situation. The arrival of Jim Wakelee yesterday was expected to start the betting going, but he disappointed the sports. Wakelee said this morning that he did not propose to lay a cent until he had seen both men, and in company with Mose Gunst and several other friends this morning he visited Corbett, and will, with Ives, also go to see Jackson. He is to back Corbett.

Charley Stencil informed a reporter this morning that, including the $1500 he sent to Chicago, he has laid $3400, principally at $100 to $75. He still has considerable money to lay on Corbett.

Billy Smith, the Australian middleweight, has been chosen to assist Sam Fitzpatrick in Jackson's corner.

Jim Hall, the next opponent of Bob Fitzsimmons, and Billy Woods, who is believed to be one of the most promising heavyweights, arrived in the city this morning. They will remain here until after the Jackson-Corbett fight, and will then return via Portland to Beloit, Wis., where Hall will train for Fitzsimmons.

On the same train with Hall and Woods was P. J. Kennedy, the advance agent of John L. Sullivan. He comes to perfect arrangements for Sullivan, who is expected to arrive on Monday.

Corbett's friends are highly pleased with his condition. One of his most intimate friends who has stood by him and who is well able to judge him with a critical eye said this morning "Corbett is as fine as silk. As a rule Jim is very deceptive in appearance and looks small standing alone, but put him against a big fellow and he looks larger himself. I saw Corbett rubbed down on Thursday night, and I can assure you he did look well. He is very broad across the chest, stocky looking in build, and has taken on lots of back-muscle by hard work in his boat. His legs are strong and particularly when he brings them in contention. His flesh is hard, and you need not have any fear about his wrists."

Fred. Leveque, a French-Canadian middle-weight, is in Victoria, and is willing to meet anyone in the Province for points or to a finish, with or without gloves.

NEW ORLEANS, May 19.—The great light-weight glove fight between Andy Bowen, the "Louisiana Tornado," and Billy Myers, the "Streator Cyclone," took place to-night in the famous Olympic club. Nearly 3000 people witnessed the fight. The betting was 100 on Meyers to 80 on Bowen. These men, it will be remembered, last May fought twenty-six rounds at the end of which Meyer's manager, Cheeny, gave up the fight. Myer was not knocked out, but bruised and bloody, and presented the appearance of a man very nearly beaten.

Bowen was seconded by Bob Farrell and Tom Kelly, while Myer was seconded by Link Pope, Andy Myer and Alf Kennedy. Alexander Brewster was appointed referee.

JACKSON-CORBETT.

The sports of this city, like all others on the continent, are speculating as to what will be the result of the battle between Jackson and Corbett at the California Athletic Club rooms, San Francisco, to-night. Bets are about even, as it is expected that the winner, whoever he will be, will have to fight hard for his money. Jackson's backers are a little scared of him, as it is known that he does not care to fight Slavin, and the winner will have to do that.

AQUATICS.

FOR GLORY ONLY.

There was quite a number of people out last evening to witness the sculling race between Richardson and Langley. The race was quite an impromptu affair and was simply to decide who was the faster oarsman, there being no prize of any kind up. The men got well off together and kept pretty even until on the home stretch, when Richardson put on a spurt and took the lead, which he kept, finishing with an easy stroke two lengths ahead. Neither man was working very hard at the finish. The time was 25:30.

WILL HAVE TO TRY AGAIN.

T. D. De Brisay started out last evening to row against time around Deadman's Island. The object of the trial was to come to a decision of who should represent the James Bay Athletic Club in the amateur contest for the cup given by Crane, McGregor & Boggs. DeBrisay was pulling his little boat through the water rapidly, and no doubt would have made a good record, but while he was rounding Deadman's Island one of the oars caught on a stone, just when he was on the recovery stroke, which capsized the boat and gave him a good ducking. He will try again to-night.

TURF.

Harry Stone left for the Sound by the City of Kingston last evening with W. Chambers' mare, Maud C. She will be entered in several races of the meetings on the Sound circuit. The worst luck that Victorians wish her is that she wins every race she enters.

LACROSSE.

The Victoria team for Saturday's senior game will be: Goal, W. H. Cullin; point, C. L. Cullin; corner point, A. E. Wade; defence field, W. Clark, A. Kenning and T. Cusack; centre, W. Dempster; home field, W. Haley, W. Blight and J. Sprinkling; outside home, Geo. Tite; inside home, W. Sprinkling.

CRICKET.

Bob Foster is working hard to get up a good crease for Saturday's game, which is expected to be the best exhibition of the English national game this season.

MISCELLANEOUS.

GYMKHANA MEETING.

At a meeting held in Dr. Duncan's office last evening, a committee was formed to arrange for a gymkhana meeting about the 13th June. The following programme was decided upon: Hurdle race, half mile; brandy and soda race—same conditions as last year; tandem race—once round course, driver leader and ride wheeler; bareback hurdle race—run in night shirts and cap; quarter mile; run over first hurdle, ride over next, turn post, run over next hurdle, and ride over last; boy's race, half mile; postillion race; V. C. hurdle race; donkey race; ladies nomination—skirts to be worn; half mile over four flights; feet pegging; thread needle race.

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Social Dance.

The Holly Club will hold a social dance on Monday evening, 25th inst., in the Philharmonic Hall. Tickets can be had at the door.

They are Here.

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Will be Auctioned.

The articles left over from the Hebrew ladies bazaar, will be auctioned off at the rooms this evening. The affair yesterday was a thorough success.

"A Real Snap."

Bowker & Smith, 28½ Broad street, offer lots 54, 55 and 56, Cadboro Road, between Banks & Duchess streets. Two corners, one open on two streets for $2,200. *

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A Good Thing for Victoria.

The "practical opticians" will shortly open their store and then Victorians will not have to pay exhorbitant prices. All work to be done in our own city, the grinding of special lenses included.

On Her Way Here.

A telegram has been received by the naval authorities at Esquimalt stating that H.M.S. Warspite will be there by the second week in June. The people at Esquimalt are rather disgusted at the report that the Warspite cannot get into the dock. They say that she will go in easily.

Collectors at Work.

The canvassing, or finance committee of the Queen's birthday celebrations, has been hard at work during the last few days, and have met with a liberal response from the citizens. It is expected that an encouraging report will be submitted to the general committee meeting to-night.

Ready to Come Out.

U.S. steamer Pinta will come out of the Esquimalt dock this evening, she having been thoroughly cleaned and overhauled. After she is out of the dock there is other work to do on her, so it is likely that she will be here for several weeks yet. Her crew since she arrived in Esquimalt have made many friends.

Disposed of the Route.

Mr. C. King, who for years ran a stage and carried the mails between here and and Esquimalt has disposed of his business to the Pacific Parcel Company, Limited, who will hereafter carry the parcels and mail. Mr. King was known to every resident along the route, with whom he made friends by his courteous manner.

Victoria Attracts Them.

A well-known and prominent citizen of Seattle said this morning that he could vouch for the fact that at least two families per day leave Seattle to come and settle in Victoria. Some of them have means and become desirable citizens, some have not, but intend by industry and perseverance to become at least workidg bees in the hive.

The Agricultural Loan By-Law.

The directors of the Agricultural Society and several members of the city council met to-day and considered the Agricultural Society's loan by-law. The suggestions made at last evening's city council meeting were embodied, and it is expected that everything will be found satisfactory for to morrow evening's meeting.

A Wonderful Feat.

Probably the leading feature of the attractions at the Gorge on Monday will be the exhibition of Miss Lavelle, a lady of noted talents in acrobatics. She has been engaged to do some tight rope performances across the Gorge; one of her feats to be the travelling across a rope 550 feet long, holding on by her teeth. Miss Lavelle is said to be remarkably clever.

Cleanliness Next to Godliness.

The supreme thing in a house after a good kitchen and a good cook, is a good, well lighted bath-room, with a large, roomy bath. Porcelain baths are becoming very popular just now, and the solid handsome ones manufactured by Twyford in England, and imported only by Braden & Stamford, Fort street, are the best article. Quite a number have found their way into the fine new homes now being built.

New Puget Sound Steamer Line.

The steamship West Indian sailed for Victoria, B. C., to-day. She has accommodations for thirty cabin and about the same number of steerage passengers. It is learned that another steamship is now on the way to San Francisco, and as soon as she arrives will be run in conjunction with the West Indian. She is expected to arrive in about six weeks, and will be followed by a third for the same route.

Dominion Day at Oak Bay.

Half of the rails for the Oak Bay branch of the street car line have arrived, and will at once be placed on the ties. The remainder are expected daily. It is the intention to formally open the line on the first day of July, Dominion Day, with all the customary ceremonies. Several local organizations are talking of making the event the occasion of their annual picnic, and if so, Oak bay will be a populous place on the Dominion's birthday.

The Last Muster.

The last muster of the general committee will be held this evening at the City Hall, when it is hoped there will be a big attendance. The secretary has the badges for the members of the various sub-committees and will distribute them to the several chairmen at this evening's meeting. As there are several boats twenty feet long to be entered, it will be proposed to alter that class, admitting only 18 feet limit boats to 20 feet, as it would not be fair to exclude these boats.

The Matsqui Prairies.

Several thousand dollars worth of land was sold to the visitors to Matsqui the other day, the people who went to see the place being charmed with it. Mr. Henry King, the well-known farmer of Church farm, was up there, this being his first trip since 1862, when he accompanied the Bishop there. He was delighted with it, and says it looks its best just now with everything so fresh and green. He is more in love with his home near Mount Tolmie, though, where he has successfully tickled mother earth with the spade and plow for just upon 30 years, and has not known a season that was a failure.

It Will be a Historic Picture.

Mr. Somers has on view in his window a photogravure of a picture that will occupy a position in the history of art in the 19th century. Not so much on account of its artistic merit, perhaps, as the incident which it is intended to portray. It is a copy of the Queen's jubilee celebration service in Westminster Abbey, the original of which was painted by W. E. Lockhart, R.S.A., and contains 277 figures in detail besides over a hundred others in general. The photogravure is a very truthful reproduction of the grand old abbey where the ceremony took place.

Schooner Allie I. Alger's Catch.

Steamship City of Topeka which arrived Monday night from Alaska brought down 75 barrels of oil and 402 sealskins. The skins were for J. C. Nixon, from his sealing schooner Allie I. Alger, which delivered them to the Topeka at Sitka. The schooner then returned on her cruise. This is considered by old sealers to be a good catch, and Captain Harry Alger is to be congratulated on his success. The last lot of skins Mr. Nixon received from Henry Dennis were sold for $12 apiece, but the price has now advanced to $15, so the 402 skins are worth at least $6030. They were packed in seven medium-sized boxes, and the freight on them from Sitka was $102.

A Subject for the Authorities.

Olaf Houge, one of the distressed sailors in Juneau, to whom reference was was made in yesterday's issue, is a relative of Mr. Foote the boat builder, of this city. Olaf wrote Mr. Foote to procure a letter of credit on the bank, which was in his trunk here, and to get funds sufficient to enable the young fellow to come home. The bank declines to honor the letter without Olaf's draft. Meanwhile he is in destitute circumstances in a foreign port. It is thought that the British representative there should do as the United States Consul does here with shipwrecked or destitute sailors of the American flag—send them home.

Will Make It Warm.

Superintendent of Police Sheppard, wishes to remind house-keepers of the troubles they had last year during the celebration, on account of sneak thieves and crooks who never fail to be in a city during a holiday of the kind. The police are doing all they can to rid the city of them, and a close watch is being kept, but house-keepers must assist the police by leaving their houses secured when they go out. Sure-thing men are going to suffer also, as the police have received orders to arrest the first one plying his crooked business and also to seize the outfits, so if any should open out here they will go back with less than what they came with.

Victoria Cycling Club.

A meeting will be held this evening in Mr. Piper's cycle depot, Yates street, at 8 o'clock, to consider the advisability of forming a new bicycle club. It is proposed to call it the Victoria Cycling Club, as wheeling in Victoria has now attained such proportions as to call for a distinct organization to manage matters relative to the sport in the city. One reason for the existence of a live club is that at present cyclists here are scattered, and for the most part their capabilities as a body or individuals are comparatively unknown, so that when a race or other contest comes along, there is confusion as to whom to select.

A Bootblack in Trouble.

An Italian bootblack named Joe, who keeps a stand near the Pritchard House, was arrested last evening, charged with stealing $110 from Mr. J. Frank, book-keeper for B. Gordon. Mr. Frank, in his evidence, stated that he had missed the money yesterday morning after leaving the bootblacks. He went back but the prisoner denied having seen the lost money. The $100 bill was found in the prisoner's house and he was caught changing two fives, all of which were identified.

After several other witnesses had been called the prisoner was committed for trial. Robt. Ward and R. B. McMicking, Justices of the Peace, occupied the bench.

The New Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Soule has in accordance with the instructions of the building committee, awarded the contract for the new Presbyterian Church at Victoria West. It has been given to Mr. S. W. Bodley, the price being in the neighborhood of $2250. He will commence work at once. The corner stone will be laid Saturday May 30, at 2:30 o'clock, by the Hon. John Robson.

The plans indicate a very pretty and comfortable little church and the site, corner of Mary and Henry streets, is a very beautiful one. Mr. MacRae has been very much encouraged by the assistance received from the people of the neighborhood, especially the ladies, as well as in very liberal contributions from members of St. Andrew's and First Presbyterian churches.

Will Work at Esquimalt.

The Albin Iron Works will put a gang of men to work at Esquimalt in a few days on a new gate for the dock. It will only be made for temporary use as the old one needs to be painted and cleaned up.

The boiler makers' tools in the Albion Iron Works shop at the dock are not going to be idle for some time to come, the company having decided to run them. They have received a contract to build 12 small boilers for the Mainland sawmills and they have started to do the work at Esquimalt. It is much easier to do a job of the kind down there as the heavy iron roller purchased for the work on the Amphion is much heavier than the one in the main shop.

H.M.S. Pheasant is in the hands of the boiler makers undergoing repairs.

Victoria's Paradise.

In a place like Victoria, surrounded by pleasure resorts, there cannot but be a favorite one. Victoria Gardens have, under the present capable management, won the title, and it is the intention of the proprietor to maintain it. This season, and particularly during the coming celebrations, a special effort will be made to entertain both visitors and residents of Victoria; a first-class table will be kept, and only first-class arrangements generally will be observed. No games of chance whatever will be tolerated, the chief object of Mr. and Mrs. Davies being to ensure the perfect enjoyment of their patrons, who can roam at will through the delightful grounds, or fish in the quiet waters of the Arm; while those trippingly inclined can avail themselves of the spacious dancing hall.

Continued Success.

The bazaar in aid of the Temple Emanu-el being held by the Hebrew ladies association, was continued last evening, when the hall was fairly packed with visitors who were very generous in their purchases. A concert was also held during the evening, which was taken part in by well known amateurs, and the first day's bazaar was a most successful one. At eleven o'clock to-day the doors were again thrown open and the visitors glancing at the tables would never believe that so many things had been sold yesterday. The ladies have means of closing up gaps on their tables that would surprise the dry goods clerk that has charge of the remnant table. The Hall looks just as well as it did yesterday, and the crowd was just as dense, especially during meal times, when the tables were all filled and the fair waitresses kept busy. This evening will be the great one though, for the ladies, as all are anxious in the results of the raffles, and they will crowd the hall.

Attempted Suicide.

In Vancouver Tuesday morning a woman named McMullen, attempted suicide by leaping from the C.P.R. Railway bridge over false Creek. It seems that she has been deranged for some time, and a little before 9 o'clock she managed to evade the observation of her friends, and bare-headed hurried to the bridge. About 9 o'clock some saw mill hands saw her crossing the bridge and two minutes afterwards a man named Hoffmaster, hearing a shout and a scream, looked out and saw the woman just in the act of jumping. She struck the water with a heavy splash, and sank immediately. Hoffmaster, with his brother, rushed out of the factory where they were at work, and taking a boat on the beach, started out to the rescue. When they reached her, she was just under the water and sinking. With considerable difficulty, the two men pulled the woman out and took her ashore. She recovered consciousness after a while, and was then taken home. Where she leaped, the bridge is about 20 feet high, and it was possible that she might have been killed by the concussion with the water. The police were notified of the matter, and an enquiry may follow.

Donald Downie at the Opera House To night.

Everyone should hear and see the splendidly illustrated lecture at the Victoria Theatre. The benefit is for the Sir William Wallace Society, and Professor Downie gives a double bill, Scotland and France. The following opinions, gathered on his way across the continent, shows the high class nature of this entertainment.

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"A rare treat. The views are the best seen here; the lecture replete with instruction, and warmly applauded."—Helena Journal.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.
(Before Mr. Justice Drake.)

Carmondy vs. Sutton-s—Defendants appealed for an extension of time in which to deliver statement of claim till 27th May. Granted. D. M. Eberts for plaintiff, C. E. Pooley Q.C. for defendant.

Gray vs. McCallum—This was an application similar in character to the above and was also granted. E. V. Bodwell for McCallum, C. E. Pooley, Q.C. for E. M. Johnson.

DIVORCE COURT.
(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Drake.)

Ferguson vs. Ferguson—This was an application for divorce made by the husband Mr. H. Ferguson on the ground of infidelity on the part of his wife. His Lordship granted the divorce. Mr. Charles Wilson appeared for the plaintiff; respondent was unrepresented.

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PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Geo. Hayes, of Vancouver is at the Oriental.

Geo. Keyes arrived from St. Paul on the Islander last night.

Dr. and Mrs. Milne were passengers from the Mainland last evening.

Mrs. C. J. Brenton and family came over from the Sound last evening.

Geo. A. Burbank and wife arrived from Tacoma, and are guests at the Revere House.

J. H. Brownlee and Geo. W. Haynes returned from the Mission City excursion last evening.

Mrs. J. C. Maclure and Miss L. Bailey came over from Port Townsend on the Kingston last night.

Mrs. Underhill and daughter, of Seattle, are the guests of Mrs. Davies, of the Victoria gardens.

T. H. Parr, C.E., late of Winnipeg, has located permanently in Victoria. Mr. Parr was at one time city engineer of the Prairie City.

United States Consul Meyers, who has been laid up for the last two weeks with the prevailing malady, a severe cold with a slight admixture of rheumatism, is again out, and hopes to resume his duties as usual.

Rev. Mr. Brown, of the Church Farm, has been ill for some time with the prevailing complaint. His genial face has been missed, not only among his flock, but from the streets of Victoria, where he has many friends. Mr. Brown is, however, recovering.

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FOR RIDDING THE CITY OF THE CHINESE LEPERS.

R. J. Ward & Co.'s Tender for the Flour Mills Bonus Debentures at 90 Per Cent. Not Accepted—The Agricultural Society's By-law to be Re-drafted.

The municipal council held its regular weekly meeting last evening, His Worship Mayor Grant presiding. After routine the usual

COMMUNICATIONS

were received.

From Thomas C. Sorby, asking whether the council would give a special water rate for the Turkish Baths Company.—Referred to water committee.

From A. R. Reid and others, applying for the position of inspector of the sewerage works.—Received and tabled for the present.

From D. W. Higgins, with reference to the 60-foot street from Michigan to Simcoe street, and regretting that the city had not seen its way clear to avail itself of the offer therefor on such reasonable conditions. — Referred to finance committee.

From Mann & Herring, complaining of defective eve-drops on the property of W. G. Beaumont, injuring their buildings.

The board thought this was a matter for a civil action, as the question did not come within the jurisdiction of the council.

From A. N. Richards, Q.C., resigning his position as police magistrate in consequence of the operation of the new Municipal Act.—Consideration deferred for one week.

From W. H. Boyd, stating that there existed a leak in the water main near his house.—Referred to the committee.

From Walker & Co., solicitors, applying for $300 damages sustained by Mrs. Dick in consequence of a defective sidewalk on Humboldt street.—Referred to finance committee and city solicitors.

From J. C. Wilson & Co., of Montreal, with reference to the commercial travellers' tax, of which they claimed a refund.

From the sewerage committee, recommending the adoption of the offer of Sister Mary Providence and Mrs. A. Henderson be accepted, and also that a right of way through lot 1270 be obtained, provided that the compensation does not exceed $500.—Adopted.

From James Johnston, offering a new street, 60 feet wide, from Simcoe to Niagara.—Referred to street committee.

From several residents, asking for sidewalks on Oswego and San Juan streets.—Referred to street committee.

There still being only one tender for the debentures of the flour mills bonus by-law, that was opened. It was from Robert Ward & Co., tendering at 90 per cent.—The tender was not accepted.

CITY BY-LAWS.

The by-law to amend the bank credit by-law was read a first time.

The by-law respecting the municipal assessment roll was also read a first time.

The by-law to aid the B. C. Agricultural Association was submitted for second reading.

Ald. Coughlin said he would be glad to see the association assisted as far as possible, but there was nothing in the shape of assurances before the council that the ratepayers would be protected in giving the loan of $25,000.

Ald. Renouf explained that estimates for a cost of $35,000 had been made by the association who were willing to give the city every guarantee necessary.

Ald. McKillican said that until the city is guaranteed the council could not be justified in passing this by-law, in accordance with which the society could mortgage the building and it might pass into private hands.

Ald. Richards thought the only way to surmount the difficulty was to give the corporation the first claim on the building.

Ald. Hunter was of opinion that the by-law had better be laid over till Friday, Ald. Renouf to take advantage of the interim to have the by-law put in such form that the council might be enabled to know what it was doing.

Ald. Renouf acquiesced in this suggestion.

The finance committee reported on the request of the promoters of the V. S.&N. W. Railway and suggested that a special meeting of the council be held to meet those gentlemen and discuss the matter.

The streets committee made a number of recommendations for various improvements.

Supt. Sheppard reported that with reference to Mr. Ray's complaint re gambling, he (the superintendent) had investigated the case and found that as the place was a private club, the department had no power to interfere. He also reported that four special officers had been detailed to the Hill on the days of the sports.

Ald. McKillican held that the police had a perfect right to enter any place where an unlawful game was carried on.

Ald. Smith wanted to know where Ald. McKillican got his law from. It might as well be said that gambling goes on in the Union or Victoria club.

Ald. Coughlan did not think that four policemen were sufficient for the Hill on the day of the sports.

The report was received and adopted.

The sanitary committee reported the removal of the Chinese lepers to Darcy Island.

The report was adopted and a vote of thanks passed to Ald. Holland for the efforts he had made to effect this reform.

Ald. Munn reported that Colonel Holmes had been requested by the Minister of Militia to make an estimate of the cost of constructing a new magazine and the removal of the old one.

The question of the appointment of a street commissioner was resumed and a ballot having been taken resulted as follows:

Graff..... 5
Lyll..... 5

A second ballot was taken, resulting:

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Lyll..... 5

The matter was therefore deferred for one week.

Ald. Holland moved that the fire wardens be requested to destroy by fire the buildings lately occupied by the Chinese lepers. They had been pronounced leprous by Dr. Smith who has come from the authorities at Ottawa expressly to enquire into their case.

The motion was carried.

Ald. McKillican moved the grant of $500 for music at the park be rescinded. The grant was illegally made.

Ald. Coughlan said the motion was out of order.

His Worship remarked that as far as the legality of the grant was concerned, a number of people had been writing to the papers on this subject, only to show their utter lack of it. The council has power to raise money for the park either by a tax on property in the corporation limits, or by a toll on all entering the park. If it had power to raise money for park purposes, it has power to expend it.

Ald. Hunter seconded Ald. McKillican's motion, and expressed regret that such a grant had been made.

Ald. Coughlan pressed his point of order, on the ground that due notice should have been given of the motion, and His Worship had to allow the point.

Ald. Richards gave notice that he would move for the reconsideration of the grant at the next meeting of the council.

Ald. Smith moved, and it was carried, that the street committee take the necessary steps for the strengthening of James Bay bridge.

Council rose at 10:42, p.m., and will meet again on Friday evening to consider the by-laws.

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m7-1m FRED. NORRIS.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

LOT 16 VICTORIA CITY.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above lot will be issued to William Wilson on the 7th day of August, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Land Registry office, Registrar-General.
Victoria, 6 th May, 1891. my6-3m

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1 lot on Yates street	14,000
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2 lot Powderly Ave. West Victoria	350
1 lot Belton Ave. West Victoria	425
1 lot corner Belton Avenue and Craigflower road	600
1 lot on Craigflower road, near Pine street	525
½ acre cor. Tolmie Ave.	630
¾ acre Tolmie estate	900
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1 acre Esquimalt road	2,625
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1st dam Amanda Wood by Hambletonian 10.
Full sister to Octavia (dam of Octavius, 2:26¼; and Siberian, 2:31¾). Sire of 4 in the 2:30 list; sire also of the dams of Stamboul, 2:07¼; Trinket, 2:14; Dauntless, 2:17¾; Orange Boy, 2:18; Wilton, 2:19¾, and 35 others in 2:30 or better.

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It was a hot Sunday morning in India, without a cloud in the brazen skies, says a writer in the Christian Intelligencer. We had just come home from early morning services and had taken our seats at the breakfast table. At the open door of our dining-room our Telugu school-teacher appeared, saying: "Sir, a big cobra has just been chasing a frog through the whole length of our front veranda. He struck at it again and again as it sprang past the open doors of your sitting-room, but the frog, uttering piercing shrieks (as a frog can when pursued by a serpent) sprang each time quick enough to elude its jaws, and together they rushed off the end of the veranda and the frog sprang under a box that is standing there, too near down upon the hard floor for the big cobra to get under, and so escaped."

"Well," said I, "where is the cobra now?" "That is just what I don't know," said he, "for while I was looking to see what had become of the frog—how he had got away—the cobra disappeared among the flower-pots, and I cannot see where he has gone." "He must have a hole there close by the veranda somewhere," said I. "Will you please go and watch until I come, and see if you can get sight of him again, for he must be killed if he lives as near the house as that."

I don't go a-shooting on Sunday, but I went for my pistol then, for I considered it decidedly a work of necessity and mercy to put an end to the danger of ourselves or our people being bitten by that deadly cobra. Soon appearing with a revolver, which I kept for traveling through the jungles at night, I went to hunting for the cobra's hole.

Two large native flower-pots stood about six feet from the end of the veranda, with each a beautiful rose growing in it, of which my wife was very fond, and beside which she almost daily stood picking off dead leaves or watering and tending the roses. I soon discovered a hole in the ground about as large as my wrist, partially concealed by the grass that was growing right between the two flower-pots, which were far enough apart for a person to stand between them. The hole went down perpendicularly, growing larger as it went deeper. It took but a moment to bring a hand-mirror and throw a reflection of the bright sun right down into the hole. It revealed a horizontal chamber only a foot or so deep, and the glistening scales of a cobra coiled up at rest.

Taking a piece of broken wagon-tire in my left hand to stop up the hole with and placing the end of it slantingly in the hole, I fired down into it. Not a motion was seen. I had missed. Turning the tire up edgewise I fired again. What a squirming there was! The cobra had been wounded. He struck up viciously at the iron, which was turned down flat as soon as I had fired to keep him from darting out at us. I turned the iron edgewise and fired again and again. When I had unloaded the sixth barrel I let him strike his head out and caught it against the side with the iron tire. I had brought with me a pair of large hedge-shears. With these I caught hold of his protruding neck and with a stout pull with both hands pulled him out and gave him a flirt out into the compound. What a scattering there was of men, women, and children! My attention had been so taken up by the snake that I had not noticed what a big crowd had gathered around. How they screamed and ran! for they did not know that the grip of the shears had dislocated the fellow's neck, and seeing a full-sized cobra flying out toward them they seemed to think he was springing at them.

As I had grasped the head of the cobra with the shears I had given the wagon-tire to the teacher, asking him to insert the end again instantly that I drew the cobra out, for where one cobra is you will usually find a second. I came back and threw the rays of the sun in again. Yes, there were bright cobra's scales and another cobra wriggling. Loading my pistol again I repeated the firing, hoping that he would strike his head out, so that I could catch his head also. Squirm and strike as he did his head did not come out of the hole until I had fired many times; but it finally came and I secured him also. On drawing him out and examining him closely we found fourteen pistol-ball holes through his body, and still there was fight in him. Any three of the wounds would have proved fatal in time; but he died making a splendid fight. We laid the cobras out on the veranda and measured them. One of them measured five feet eleven inches and the other six feet and two inches, than which one rarely finds a cobra larger. Their hide showed that they had evidently been living there right among the flower pots that were tended daily and within six feet of our veranda, and within twelve feet of my study door for weeks or months. Though the cobra is the deadliest serpent known, and thousands of persons die of their bite yearly in India, no one in our mission has ever been harmed by one.

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PASSENGERS.

Per Stmr City of Kingston from the Sound—E Lamper, A Jones, L Goodman, Edwin Ellis, J F Kellen, J J Reif, C Barned, Wott Smith, R J Love, S H Werther, Mrs Hanlon, C E Stevens and wife, S S Weeks, E S Higgins and wife Wm Dunning and wife, H C Master, W Landes W W Laughlin, Jno Ryan, A G Emeuntero and wife, S J Clark, Chas Brannell, A Miller, Mrs Davenport, Miss Coughn, F B Johnson and wife, J W Borbet, W Bedwell, R R Wilson, Frank Contwell, G Duffy, J Sheri and wife, R O Harper, Wm Sullivan, Fred Wade, Mrs Samuels, W J Zeltner and wife, W Fraser and wife, Miss Brenton, J LaConte, Mrs Foster and daughter, J E Hennies, Mrs Sullivan, Mrs Bromley, Jas Jones and wife, J Stewart, A Stanley, Miss Robinson, Mrs L Smith, E S Smith, H W Fisher, E B Brose, T Renwick, A Milles, Mrs McConda, F W Teimero, W Conn, E O Edwards and wife, Capt Hansen and wife, Chas McConald, D Powell, C R Watkins, John Best, Thos Lang, W F Lang, Mrs Field, Daniel Doule, Wm Rose, F C Patters and wife, Miss Smith, W E Bayden, John Lathom, A E Flowers and wife, Robt A Hastler, S Smith and wife, Mrs Lathom and son, Mrs Smith, J J Cahn, S Sour and wife, C Cockwar, J M McFarland, R A Sheon, Geo McFarland, John Caulette, D O Stevenson, Counter, Miss Frank, J S Hughes, W S Cannen, P A Dunning and wife, W W Waiss, Mrs Gerson, Charles Boms, Miss Baily, Mrs McClare, Miss Irvine, J Wilson, S J Pitts, John Nickels, J Griffiths, Donald Downie, Mrs Carey, Mrs Ruchenon, W Nichols, W S Pelvebet, W Shaw, Mrs McIntyre, D E Brown.

Per Steamer North Pacific from the Sound—Thos Prentise, Mrs J S Keek, H Rudy, F D Herish and wife, G A Reynolds and wife, A McLaughlin, Fred Woman, A G King, Mrs C Matteson, Mrs Prentise, Miss Keek, L Pollard, H S Green, Mrs J Reilly, Geo Bishop, Mrs Kermow, John Kelly, J Burke, Jas Grant, Miss Prentise, C W Walker, Sarah Fox, Mrs Hoskins, Mrs Sire, J H Boyse, J Wilson, J Murphy Geo Walker, P Bellenger, J S Keek, Wm Abbot, S J Smith, Jas Reilly, E Hurst, Jno Wing, T Osterman, Wm Bouch, G Loomis, C Matteson.

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J. P. WALLS,
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Dec. 30.

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The following are a few of the specialties we are offering this week:

5 Lots on MacGregor avenue, Regent's Park; from $300 up. Magnificent View.

Lots at end of motor line from $275 up; $20 cash, balance to suit at 7%.

1 Water Front Lot on Head street, Victoria West, $275.

3 Lots at a bargain, Victoria West, corner Jessie and Mary streets.

2 Semi-detached Houses, corner of Douglas and Market streets, opposite the Fountain, $4300. Good investment.

½ Acre on Craigflower road, adjoining Dunsmuir's property, $850; terms easy.

3 large Lots opposite Jubilee Hospital gate, $1000.

3 Lots on North Chatham street; "price right."

Lots on Davidson avenue from $180 up. Prices advanced after this week.

2 large lots on Fernwood road nearly opposite Baptist church, $650 each. For a few days only.

Last Lot left on Cornwall street, $550.

A beautiful level Lot on Moss street for $900.

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WEATHER REPORT.

Corrected by Mr. F. C. Gamble. C. E.
VICTORIA, B. C., May 21, 1891.

	Ther'ter	Bar.	Wind.	Remarks.
20—1 p.m	66.0	..	NWbyW	Fair
4 p.m	66.0	..	SWbyS	"
9 p.m	55.0	..	N E	Fair
21—5 a.m	50.9	..		"
1 p.m	62.0	..	SbyW	Clear

Temperature—Highest, 66; lowest, 43.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.
For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. May 21, 1891.
Datum—Ordinary low water Spring tides.
Lowest water observed 1.5 below datum, Jan. 10 and 11, 1891.
Highest, 10.16 above datum, Dec. 25, 1890.

WEDNESDAY, May 20.				THURSDAY, May 21.			
a.m.	Tide ft above datum	p.m.	Tide ft above datum.	a.m.	Tide ft above datum.	p.m.	Tide ft above datum.
1	5.00	8	4.92	1	7.00	8	1.83
2	5.00	9	5.50	2	5.92	9	1.83
3	5.00	10	6.98	3	6.16	10	2.66
4	5.00	11	6.66	4	5.25	11	3.42
5	4.92	12	6.83	5	4.16	12	4.25
6	4.83			6	2.38	1	5.00
7	4.75			7	1.92		

NEWS FROM ALASKA.

Hunting Gold—New Appointments—Mismanagement of a Federal Office.

PORT TOWNSEND, May 20.—Edward J. Glave and Jack Dalton, who embarked at Port Townsend on the Mexico, left the steamer at Chilcat with the intention of going into the interior and making a lengthy exploration of the country. Glace is said to represent an English syndicate, which has sent him gold hunting.

United States District Judge Bugbee received notice by the last mail from the Secretary of the Interior that he had been appointed counselor of the office of education in all matters pertaining to education in Alaska. Governor Knapp has also received a like intimation, and it is understood that he has also accepted. These gentlemen will in the future exercise a general supervision over scholastic matters in the territory.

One question now agitating Sitka is in the event of the community taking advantage of the new townsite law for Alaska, whether the townsite shall include the Indian village or not. Townsites may contain 640 acres (being one mile square) and it is very difficult to figure out the maximum allowance of land without including the native town.

A portion of the public land at Hulilink Harbor, Unalaska, has been reserved by President Harrison for use as the site of a depot for coal and supplies for vessels of the United States revenue marine service cruising in Alaskan waters.

Three schooners sailed for the sealing grounds from Sitka last week, namely, the Nellie Martin, the Adventure and the Allie I. Algar. The latter is the property of J.C. Nixon of Seattle.

It is currently reported that grave mismanagement, if not crime, is being carried on in the United States Commissioner's office at Juneau. It is said to be quite a common custom there to bring Indians into court on a charge of drunkenness, and whether they enter a plea of guilty or not, to impose a fine upon them, including costs of from $15 to $30. The Mining Record promises sensational disclosures on the subject.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Martin sells cheap.

Pocket knives, table cutlery, scissors etc., at Fox's.

The Tacoma Young Men's Institute will visit Victoria on Sunday.

The Lion keeps the largest assortment of ties in the city. 74 Yates street.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Atkins took place this afternoon.

Bamboo Novelties, Baby Carriages, Lunch Baskets and Hammocks, at Weiler Bros.

The new hose wagon for the fire department will be placed in No. 1 firehall to-morrow.

If you want the finest dress suit, call on Simpkins & Simpson, 86 Government street.

Jno. H. Mason was sworn in as a police constable this morning.

See our $2.50 mens' laced and congress shoes, Carmichael & Paterson, 35 Johnson street.

Mr. T. H. Laundy will build a pretty two-storey residence near Beacon Hill Park. Mr. Tiarks has prepared the plans.

The cheapest place to buy tinware, graniteware, etc., is at Martin's, Turner block, Douglas street.

The police will don their new uniforms to-morrow. They are made of blue serge, trimmed like the last ones.

Glasgow beef hams, Bologna sausage, roll bacon, mess pork, Armorr's gold band hams and bacon, at Jameson's.

The only two cases that true bills were brought in for by the grand jury in the late assizes were arrests made by Sergt. Levin.

The contract for Mr. Carter's stone and brick house on Herald street has been awarded to Mr. Geo. Moore, and Mr. J. Gerhard Tiarks is the architect.

Go to Martin's, Turner block, for cutlery. The finest assortment of plated goods in the city.

Mr. Francis Bourchier to-day placed with Mr. Clayton the order for the five-mile bicycle medal, value $35, to be made after a very handsome design.

The United States Collector of Customs at Wrangel requires that shippers sending merchandize in bond to Cassiar from this port will describe such merchandize fully, whether by measurement or weight, as required.

Mr. Piper is erecting a number of bathing machines on the beach at Cadboro bay, for the free use of visitors. The water in this vicinity is said to be particularly well adapted for bathing.

General land agent Schulze, of the Northern Pacific, has received advices that President Oakes left New York this morning for the Sound country, and would arrive here in about ten days.

The marriage of Edward T. Blake, son of Hon. Edward Blake, to Miss Ethel Mary Benson, daughter of Hon. Judge Benson, was solemnized in St. John's church, Port Hope. The honeymoon will be spent in Europe. The ceremony was witnessed by many distinguished guests from different parts of the province. Hon. Edward Blake was unable to attend, owing to business detaining him in British Columbia.

The first order-in-council has just been passed in Quebec, conceding land grants to fathers of 12 or more living children. The present grant covers 20,000 acres to 200 families.

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